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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION **TRANSMITTAL**

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Attorney Docket No.	2002-0348	
First Inventor	Narendra K. Gupta	04
Title	Building N. L. U. Model	s. P
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	ADDRESS TO: Mail Stop Patent Application Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450				
1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing) Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Specification [Total Pages 17] (preferred arrangement set forth below) - Descriptive title of the invention - Cross Reference to Related Applications - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix - Background of the Invention - Brief Summary of the Invention - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) - Detailed Description - Claim(s) - Abstract of the Disclosure	7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix) 8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary) a. Computer Readable Form (CRF) b. Specification Sequence Listing on: i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or ii. Paper c. Statements verifying identity of above copies ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS				
4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets]	9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) 10. Power of (when there is an assignee) Attorney				
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b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)	Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations 13. Preliminary Amendment 14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be esseifically itemized)				
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name in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). 6. Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76	16. Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.				
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FEE TRANSMITTAL		Complete if Known			
		Application Number			
for FY 2004 Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.		Filing Date	January 9, 2004		
		First Named Inventor	Narendra K. Gupta et al.		
		Examiner Name			
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Art Unit			
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$) 810	Attorney Docket No.	2002-0348		

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)					
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FEE CALCULATION	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252	420	2252	210		
Large Entity Small Entity	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Fee Paid Code (\$)	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 770	1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 770	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Ext <u>ra Claims below</u> Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
Total Claims	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
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1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3					(37 ČFR 1.129(a))	
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REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION
UNDER
35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

First Named Inventor		Narendra K. Gupta
Title	Method For Building A Natural Language Understanding Model For A Spoken Dialog System	
Atty Docket Number		2002-0348

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

<u>Jan. 9,2004</u> Date

Signature
Thomas M. Isaacson, Attorney

Reg. No. 44166

This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

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